

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, line 6, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In order to achieve the above and other objects, a magnetic bias film according to one aspect of the invention is a magnetic bias film including plural a-magnetic bias magnetmagnets each having that has magnetic layers and generates-generating a magnetic field within a plane perpendicular to a lamination direction of the magnetic layers, and characterized in that the magnetic bias magnet is manufactured in a shape of substantially a rectangular prism having a long side, a short side, and a thickness in the lamination direction in order of decreasing lengths while a ratio of the long side with respect to the short side in length is in a range of 5 to 200, and the plural magnetic bias magnets are disposed in a short side direction.

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

According to this configuration, the magnetic bias film of the invention includes the magnetic bias ~~magnet-magnets~~, each of which is manufactured in the shape of substantially a rectangular prism having the long side, the short side, and the thickness in the lamination direction in order of decreasing lengths. The ratio of the long side with respect to the short side in length of the magnetic bias magnet is in a range of 5 to 200, and the plural magnetic bias magnets are disposed in the short side direction. The direction of a magnetic field generated within the plane perpendicular to the lamination direction of the magnetic layers contained in the magnetic bias magnet is therefore stabilized, and a stronger magnetic field can be obtained. Hence, not only can the magnetic bias film be reduced in size, but also the magnetic sensor using the same can be reduced in size at the same time.